

## FIGURES OF TRADE

New York, Dec. 12.—Money on call closed at 4 per cent. The highest rate was 4½ and the lowest 3½ per cent.  
Business was steady; posted rates, 400 to 500 per cent; rates for money for day loans, 400 to 500 per cent; rates for money for 10 days, 400 to 500 per cent.  
Governments closed steady; currency, 60; gold bid, extended to registered, 800 bid; gold options, 100; old Pacific railway bonds, 100; stocks, 100; Union Pacific, 100; stock funds, 80; gold bullion, 80.  
At the opening operations were steady, with some fluctuations. Gold advanced, but was very strong, and was a good leader advanced in the first half of the hour. It was followed by the Western Union advanced by 2 per cent. The New York advanced by 1 per cent. Some of these recorded substantial advances. Silver advanced by 1 per cent, whiskey, 1½, and tobacco, 1 per cent. The general list, and the stocks of Perkins and Co., corner First and Front street, 300.  
**HELP WANTED—MALE.**

**WANTED**—A bright young man for townser. Must be experienced in caring for horses, mares and foals. Call between 1 and 2 at 112 Sheldon street.

**FOR RENT—Nicer furnished rooms at 96 Fountain street.**

**WANTED**—Five waiters, salary or commission; pleasant and profitable employment. Room 1013, Mich. Trust Co. building.

**WANTED**—All the men in Grand Rapids to Winter help of various kinds, or services made to order. Verter, Hespeler & Co.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

**WANTED—GIRL** for general housework; \$15 to \$20 per week wages. Apply at 26 Paris avenue.

**WANTED—A competent girl for general housework.** Mrs. E. F. Pierce, 186 Sheldon street.

**WANTED—Fifty more ladies at the Morgan dressmaking school; we pay \$8 a week No. 12 South Division street.**

**WANTED—A cook at 226 S. College avenue.** Mrs. F. F. Ferrell.

**WANTED—Ladies to do fancy work at their homes, \$6 to \$10 per week, easily made. Call and address with stamp, 136 S. Division st. A. M. Durfee et al.**

**WANTED—An American girl to take care of a child, year round, and to assist in light housework; good wages to the right girl. Enquire at 500 Cherry street.**

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

**WANTED—Professionals for experienced bookkeepers, assistant bookkeepers, clerks, office clerks, traveling salesmen, telegraphers, traveling girls, porters and baggage men in hotel and restaurant, 50 cent canvassers. Geo. W. Cole & Son, Room 10, 26 Canal street.**

## WANTED—AGENTS.

We offer exclusive money, no exclusive territory. Our sales agent in city of Oregon. Agent first in fed actually getting rich. One agent in one day cleared \$10,000. So far no agent free. Address Alpine Sales Co., No. 300 1/2 Clark Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

**WANTED—Book agents for Valley City Sub-scription Book Co. Enquire at room 10, No. 2 Canal street.**

**WANTED—District agents by the Equitable Life Assurance Co. Agents direct, no contractors and absolute fidelity held. Best references required as to character and qualifications. L. T. Martin, Supt. of Agencies, Des Moines, Iowa.**

## WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

**WANTED—A pair of good dray horses in exchange for a desirable lot. Richard Pickard, 26 State street.**

**WANTED—Names and addresses of energetic men and women open for permanent work. We give exclusive territory, guarantee good workers \$3 a week. No experience necessary. Our article is a money ploy. It will save 25 per cent of the coal bills of everybody. Full particulars by mail. Lithograph, 1000 copies, \$100. Postage, \$10. P. O. Box 100, Boston, Mass.**

**WANTED—To exchange house and lot in northern part of city for vacant lots. Call at 21 East Bridge street.**

## PERSONAL.

**WANTED**—To open correspondence with a lad, aged between 16 and 40 years, with a view to marriage; a German preferred. I am a farmer tolerably well-to-do. Address Widower, box 5, Herald office.

**MARRIED LADIES**—Send 10 cents for "Insurance Catalogue" the medicine, no description just what you want. Ladies' Bans Kansas City, Mo.

## DON'T LOOK AT 26 CLANCY STREET.

If you will build a house we will furnish a lot; no money required. How will it suit you? We have fifteen houses to rent. Makes selection now, they are 20 per cent lower than they will be when spring opens.

We have 100 lots in Oakdale Park on terms to suit. Will take payment of \$5 down, balance on full purchase.

Eighty acres three miles from city, to exchange for house and lot. Look it up.

Buy one of our North Park lots for Xmas. Gas, sewer and water in each lot.

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Eighty acres three miles from city, to exchange for house and lot. Will put in some cost if necessary.

Look at our list of rents and call on us if you want anything in our line.

## FOR RENT.

18 Jefferson Avenue at ..... \$25.00  
House on North Prospect, near Hastings ..... 15.00  
26 Clancy street at ..... 10.00  
Small houses in Oakdale Park ..... 5.00  
Benton Park ..... 2.00  
House on State Street, west side ..... 2.00  
Flat on Barclay street ..... 1.00

Seven suites of from 3 to 7 rooms on the second floor, in all improvements, from \$1 to \$25 per month.

If you are looking for a place to buy, sell, exchange or rent, come and see us. We have a large number of properties for sale and exchange.

We are in need of horses for the exchange of goods and have good property to exchange for them. We have timber, lots and wild lands for sale, as well as farms, or anything else you may be trading in. Come in and see us and we will not let you away without a bargain.

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